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Pied Pipers Hold Second Place In Race

Hamlin Pied Pipers are still holding second place in District 5-A East conference with Throckmorton maintaining the lead in the seven-team district. Hamlin and Throckmorton teams would tie for first place honors if Anson, Stamford or Haskell should upset Throckmorton in the games to be played before the close of the conference.

Coaches L. B. Howard and Melvin Carlton's Pied Pipers defeated Albany Tuesday night, 43 to 25.

In a thrilling game Friday night, the Pipers upset the Throckmorton team 35-30 with Rowland leading with 18 points.

Other conference games scheduled are Rule-Hamlin at Rule, Thursday night (this week); Stamford-Hamlin, (probably at Anson) Friday night, and to close the district play for the Pipers, they will encounter the Anson team at the Anson gym next Tuesday.

The Pipers will participate in two tournaments; the first one at Aspermont next weekend, February 13, 14, 15, and another at Rule February 27, 28.

Hamlin's Red Cross Quota Is \$727.00

Local and county quotas for the Red Cross drive to be conducted in early March have been set, according to L. H. McBride, Jones county chairman.

The county quota is \$4,808 and Hamlin's share of this is \$727. Star Inzer, county chairman of the fund campaign, will select local chairmen and workers in each town and community.

Other quotas for surrounding communities are: Carlton, \$24; Dovie, \$34; Flat Top, \$34; Neinda, \$56; Plainview, \$60; Tuxedo, \$72; Boyd Chapel, \$29 and Bethel, Swenson and Pleasant Valley, \$109.00.

First Baptist Change Slogan to 500 in February

Not satisfied with having already attained their goal "400 in February," the First Baptist Church Sunday school is now launching a drive for "500 in February."

Supt. Tate May and Floyd McCoy, educational director, are working with the pastor and officers in order that all absentees will be contacted this week.

Rev. Osteen is very happy over the good attendance last Sunday and is looking forward to even larger numbers present before the month of February closes, he stated.

Calvary Baptist Church Singing Sunday Afternoon

The public is cordially invited to attend the singings each second and fourth Sunday afternoons at the Calvary Baptist church, Hamlin, according to the corresponding secretary, Mrs. Georgia Nunn.

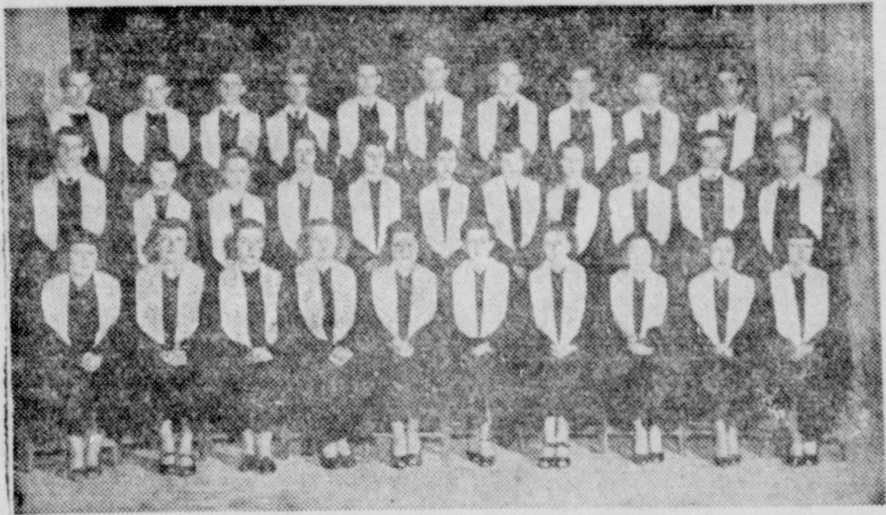
"The interest is growing. We have had visiting singers from Stamford, Anson, Rotan and other places. Come and be with us this Sunday afternoon at 2:30."

Poll Tax Payments Pass 3,500 Mark

A total of 3,501 poll tax receipts had been issued by the office of Tax Assessor-Collector Elzy Bennett for Jones County residents through Monday afternoon. Some mail, believed to contain tax payments, was yet to be worked. Only 29 exemptions for "unders" had been written.

This compares favorably with the total of 3,776 poll taxes that were paid in 1946, it was said. Sonewall county

Hamlin Girl Is Member Of The "Chanters"



Miss Hortense Phenix of Hamlin is a member of the Chanters, McMurry college choral group now on a tour of West Texas and New Mexico.

Miss Phenix is shown above in the second row, fifth from the left.

Parade to Mark Opening FFA Show Here Saturday

A parade of FFA boys and their exhibits through three blocks of the business section will mark the opening of the annual FFA Livestock and Poultry Project Show to be held at the migratory labor center here Saturday. T. C. Blankenship, chapter advisor, states that all is in readiness and that he and the boys hope a large crowd will come out to see the parade and visit the show.

The parade will be between 9:30 and 10 o'clock with judging to start immediately afterwards. Stock will be judged in this order: hogs, chickens, beef calves and Jerseys. County Agent F. W. Martin of Haskell will judge livestock and Mr. Pritchett of Stamford the poultry.

A total of \$150 will be awarded in premiums to the best of the show, in addition to ribbons for first three places. Five departments will make up the annual show, which promises to be one of the best ever held here.

VFW Granted City Ball Park For 1947 Season

The VFW has been granted the city ball park for the 1947 season, according to an announcement made this week. Cliff Reynolds, Sr., was appointed manager of the softball team.

"Cliff is an old baseball man and with the material in the VFW he will produce a winning team," it was stated. All members of VFW are asked to come out for training.

The local merchants contributed funds to purchase uniforms for the 17-man club.

Twelve teams will be included in the league, with only three from Hamlin, and the other nine from nearby towns and communities. The winner for the season will receive \$250; second prize, \$150, and third prize \$100. Softball fans are promised some very interesting games this season.

The first league game will be played about April 15.

All VFW members to be eligible for the team must have paid their 1947 dues, it was said.

Hamlin Negro May Face Third Trial In Fall Term

Earl Lee Smith, Hamlin Negro charged with murder of Sam Dansby, another local negro, will probably face trial for his life again in the fall term of court, if plans of the prosecution are carried out.

In his second trial last week, the jury was unable to reach a decision and after being deadlocked over 19 hours (the jury was dismissed by District Judge Owen Thomas. In his first trial the jury was deadlocked at 11-1.

W. H. Eyssen, Jr., Hamlin attorney and A. J. Smith, Jr., of Anson represented the defendant.

Consolidation Election To Be Held Saturday

An election on the question of consolidation of the Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District and the Hitson Common School District No. 2 of Fisher County, about seven miles west of town, will be conducted here and in the Hitson district this Saturday, according to an announcement by Supt. I. R. Huchingson of the local system. Since the consolidation affects parts of both Jones and Fisher counties, it was necessary for county judges of both counties to order the election.

Balloting will be conducted in school houses in both districts, it was said. Only a very light vote is anticipated, but interest is said to be keen in the Hitson community and a large turnout is anticipated there. This is the third time Hitson has voted on the issue of consolidation with Hamlin. If successful, Hitson will be the seventh district to consolidate with Hamlin. About 38 scholastics reside there, and part of them attend the Rotan schools.

Any qualified voter may vote in the consolidation election, it is pointed out.

Cotton and Wheat Higher; Some Strong, Eggs Down

Higher prices were paid for cotton and wheat, while hogs, lambs and calves ruled unevenly strong. Weaker markets were quite general for other southwest farm products last week, according to the Production and Marketing Administration, USDA.

Seasonal increases in egg and poultry supplies resulted in an easier undertone to the market. However fair to good demand held prices to only minor changes from a week earlier.

Mature slaughter classes of cattle moved unevenly lower at Denver and Texas markets last week, but were mostly steady to strong at Wichita and mostly higher at Oklahoma City. Calves, vealers and stocker and feeder classes sold generally steady to higher but heavy calves were weak at Wichita and stockers and feeders were down mostly 25 to 50 cents at Denver. Medium to good slaughter steers brought \$16.50 to \$18.50 at Houston; \$16 to \$22 at San Antonio; \$15 to \$22 at Fort Worth; \$16.50 to \$21 at Oklahoma City; \$17.50 to \$22 at Wichita and \$18.50 to \$23.50 at Denver.

Hogs were steady to 50 cents higher for the week. The week's top was \$23 at San Antonio; \$24.10 City; \$25.25 at Wichita; and \$21.50 at Fort Worth; \$24.75 at Oklahoma at Denver.

Lambs were steady to 50 cents and \$1.00 lower at southwest termi-

Jones and Fisher Continue In Central Westex Oil Spotlight

Four Directors Named By Members Of Chamber of Commerce for 1947

\$555.45 Given By Hamlin To March of Dimes

Hamlin residents gave liberally to the March of Dimes for the relief and aid of polio victims, according to the chairman, Mrs. V. R. Bond. The total amount contributed was \$555.45, with \$345.45 being collected by the city-wide drive conducted by the schools, Lions and Rotary clubs and other organizations, and \$210.00 contributed into the Ferguson Theater drive.

"I would like to express my personal thanks for your splendid cooperation and liberal contributions to this worthy drive," Mrs. Bond stated.

Half of the funds collected in this county will be retained here to be used if needed by victims in Jones county.

John Griffin Injured When Train Hit Car

John A. Griffin, formerly of Hamlin, was injured last Tuesday afternoon when the car he was driving collided with a train at Orange, where he resides.

Mrs. D. A. Brown, brother of Mr. Griffin, received a telephone call a few hours following the accident from Mrs. Griffin. At first, it was not known just how seriously he was hurt, but later examinations revealed a back injury. He is now improved and was removed from the hospital Monday.

Details of the accident have not been learned here although it is known that he was enroute home from work and that he was found unconscious in the demolished car.

Jim Howard King, John C. Lewis, Pat Marlow and W. H. (Bill) Burnett have been named directors of the local Chamber of Commerce, and will be installed Tuesday morning, February 11, at which time the new board will be organized.

Retiring members of the board are O. D. Roland, H. W. Carter, I. R. Witt and R. H. McCurdy.

Claud Lancaster and Tate May were appointed to arrange and plan the annual banquet for the organization to be held this month. The date has not yet been set.

Plans Completed For Joint Show to Be Held at Anson

Jones County 4-H and FFA boys from Hamlin and Anson will compete for \$250 in premiums being offered by the Chambers of Commerce from each town at the annual Boys Fat Livestock Show to be held in Anson on Saturday, February 15, it is announced by County Agent H. C. Stanley, general superintendent of the show, and Bill Lemberg, secretary. All plans for the big event are virtually complete, it was said.

Entries in the show are limited to 4-H Club boys from Jones county and Future Farmers of America from the Hamlin chapter.

Four different departments will comprise the show, namely, fat steers, fat hogs, capons and registered dairy animals.

A total of \$90 will be offered in the Fat Steer section in 17 classes: Class 1, dry lot steers under 285 pounds; Class 2, dry lot steers 285 pounds and over; Class 3, champion dry lot steer.

Class 4, milkfed steers under 825 pounds; Class 5, milkfed steers 825 pounds and over; Class 6, champion milkfed steer; Class 7, grand champion steer and reserve champion steer.

A total of \$54 will be offered in the fat hogs section:

Class 8, fat barrows and open gilts weighing 200 pounds and over; Class 9, fat barrows and open gilts weighing under 200 pounds; Class 10, grand champion hog and reserve champion hog.

A total of \$12 will be offered in the capons department: Class 11, single capons; Class 12, capons, 3 in pen; Class 13, grand champion capon and reserve champion capon.

A total of \$60 will be offered in the registered dairy animals department: Class 14, heifers under one year old; Class 15, heifers over one year but under two years which have not calved; Class 16, cows over two years old; Class 17, grand champion and reserve champion.

Stonewall County Farmers Expect REA Service Soon

Stonewall farmers and ranchmen told at a recent meeting with managers of the Dickens County REA Cooperative in Spur that construction work on REA lines in Stonewall County would start as soon as materials to build lines could be secured. Money for building and energizing lines in the county was appropriated some time ago and the Co-op has been ordering materials, but due to strikes and shut-downs has been unable to secure enough material to secure authority from REA headquarters to proceed.

It was stated that Stonewall County would secure REA service, but no probable date to start work was set.

Jones and Fisher County continued this week to hold the spotlight in the oil development picture of West Central Texas. A number of new locations and new wells are of great interest to oil operators everywhere and all indications point to continued activity throughout this area, already reaping benefits of several producing areas.

A west extension try for the new Flippin sand production area, southeast of Hamlin, near Radium, has been as the Walter K. and Byron W. Jones No. 2 Chittenden estate, only a short distance from the discovery well, the No. 1 Chittenden, which has been officially gauged at 102 barrels of 37.8 gravity oil per day. Test was on the pump from 2,612-43 feet.

Permit for the extension is for a rotary rig to 3,050 feet, operators having indicated they will take the hole to the Swastika, regardless of whether they find oil in the Flippin. They are checking to determine whether multiple production is feasible, it was said. The project was to start rigging up this week.

Also in the same area, The Eastland Oil No. 1 Reeves has been abandoned as dry after drilling to 4,285 feet in the Canyon. No shows in Swastika. An Ellenburger test below 5,000 feet was abandoned during the weekend near Avoca.

Drilling started Saturday on the Haygard No. 1 Reeves a cable tool test northwest of Hamlin in eastern Jones County and drilling began Sunday on the Henrick No. 1 Howle, 11 miles northwest of Abilene, in extreme southern Jones County.

At the Roberts No. 2 Steele, in the Cooper-Roberts field, casing is set for a test of an oil show in the Swastika at about 2,350 feet. Oil flow of 37 barrels in six hours was gaged after passing credited to an extension in the Lewis-Steffens pool and a well near Nuby a slight show at about 1,750.

In Fisher County, the Eskota pool was mostly closely watched with top of the reel expected Monday in the Stanolind Oil and Gas company No. 1 J. B. Wade, southwest edge of the pool. The well was drilling below 4,000 feet.

Meanwhile, rig was being skidded and drilling was expected to begin this week end on the first northwest extension try for the pool, Skelly Oil Co. No. 5-A. D. Huddleston.

Loretta Allen New H.D. Agent For Jones County

Loretta Allen, county home demonstration agent in Callahan County for the past 15 months has assumed her duties as Home Demonstration Agent for Jones County with offices in the courthouse at Anson. Miss Allen succeeds Hannah Nabors, who has accepted a position with the REA in Stephenville.

The new agent was born and reared near Lingle in Erath County, first attended John Tarleton Agricultural College at Stephenville and later received a degree in home economics from Texas Technological College in Lubbock. Prior to entering home demonstration work in 1945, she

Rev. Jack Fielder Given "Pounding"

Rev. Jack Fielder of Abilene, pastor of the Neinda Methodist church, was given an old-fashioned "pounding" by the members of his church Sunday evening.

Many nice gifts were presented to Rev. Fielder and wife.

Rev. and Mrs. Fielder were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hamlin Sunday. Also present were Mrs. Floyd Winslett and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Louise Winslett.

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SMALL TOWN U. S. A.

MR. AND MRS. METROPOLIS, riding in a long new automobile that makes the natives stand up and take notice, glide through town, disgusted at having to stop at the entrance of the Square and somebody in the richly upholstered car remarks:

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No indeed, things are not always placid in Kaufman. City elections and school board elections and county elections see to that. A man dies of a bullet wound—A leading citizen is killed in an automobile accident—A quarrel develops over dancing in the schools—The community ponders a new traffic light—an official gives your football team a raw deal—A fire wipes out a residence, leaving a family homeless during a time of acute housing shortages—A neighboring town threatens to take away your chief industry—The highway closes because of a flood that inundates part of it—The citizens demand higher salary for teachers—A grocery store changes hands—A new automobile agency comes to town—Your wife wins high score at her bridge party.

These hypothetical happenings are not unusual—these and many more.

Couples marry—babies are born—homes are divided—citizens die—sometimes a tiny baby and aged pioneer during the same week. Dreams come true for some and fade away for others.

The Browns get a new automobile—and you know that you were ahead of them on the local agent's list. Jimmie makes an "A" in deportment. The neighbor kid wins an essay contest you were so anxious for Mary to win—Mary is so talented and you know that some day she will make her mark in the world of fiction.

The Tindles paint their house. The Vernons have a new screened porch. A new preacher comes to town. There's a stir over whether to close Armistice Day and in the general mix-up of misunderstanding some do and some don't to the dissatisfaction of everyone.

The cemetery needs reworking. Somebody leaves their picnic leftovers scattered over the park. The American Legion holds a carnival to help raise money for a hut . . . which they can run as they please without interference. The city votes a bond issue to pave as many streets as possible—you pay the taxes the same as the other fellow but you don't have as much as a few cupfuls of gravel in front of your house.

A relative dies—a loved one. You are pretty torn up about it. Friends come in. They bring food and flowers and a warm hand-clasp. It helps you to bear your trouble.

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I GIVE YOU TEXAS
by Boyce House

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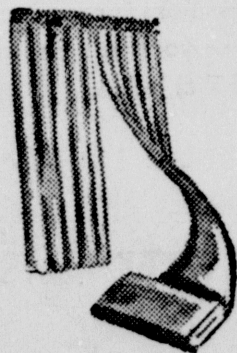
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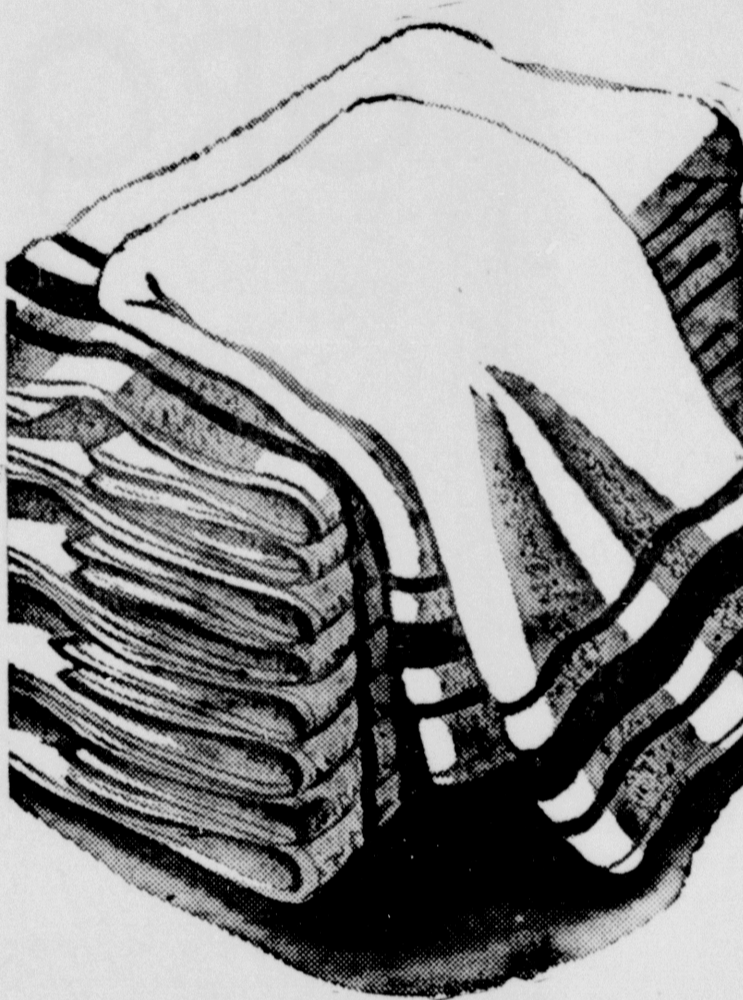
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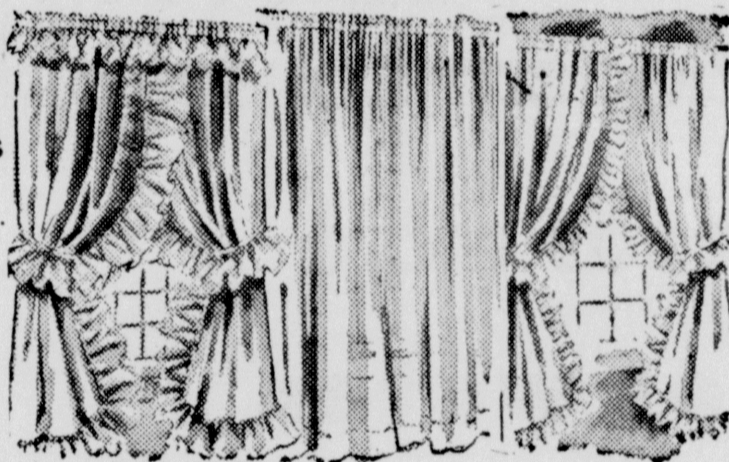


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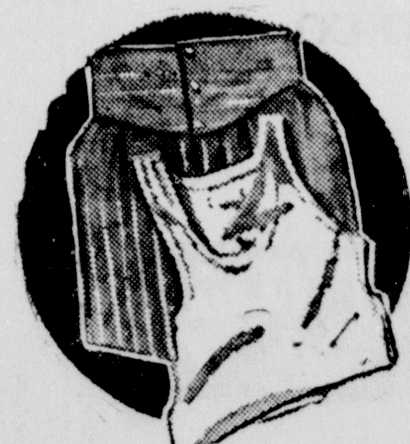
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Fisher County Agent Plans to Stress One-Variety Cotton Planting In 1947

An extensive county program for 1947, stressing the county wide adoption and planting of one variety of cotton, was outlined in the annual report to the Extension Service of L. E. Turbeville of Roby, Fisher County farm agent.

The county agent will stress the county-wide planting of state certified cottonseed, or, at least, the treating of all cottonseed to be used on Fisher County farmlands. He is also discouraging the common practice of Fisher County farmers of holding their cottonseed for planting purposes, year after year, and suggesting the sale of all seed each year, with the exception of that reserved for feed purposes.

Turbeville also believes that farmers should keep some of their combined maize and other grains and mix it themselves into feed that has as high a nutritional value as commercial feed.

Dairying, already one of the county's major projects, and the continued practice of planting soil building legumes, ranks high on the list of preferred projects to be stressed during the coming year by the agent. Included, also, will be his continuing fight to control Bang's disease, widespread among Fisher County dairy cattle, and the caution to have cattle bought at auction rings tested for the disease, before contact

with other farm animals. Also on the agenda of the year's activities is to lend assistance to veterans agricultural schools in the county, helping with their farm problems whenever needed.

Other activities on the agent's calendar of work for 1947 is terracing activities; soil conservation; dairy cattle improvement; wildlife; general soil conservation; hog shows and other routine office and field activities. Special demonstrations will be given during the year on cattle dipping and spraying; poultry; entomology; mesquite eradication, county livestock tours, etc.

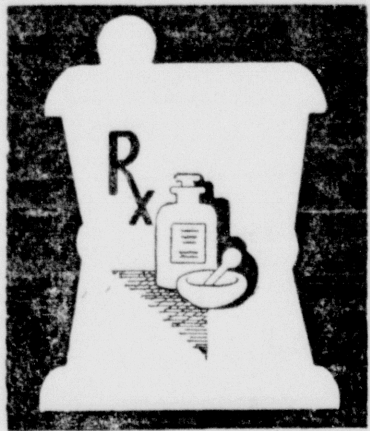
Shows planned for 1947 include a 4-H Club-FFA boys hog show, scheduled for February; the five-county dairy show to be held in Rotan in April, to include a boys

showing; plans for enlarged fair next fall, to include a Hereford, Jersey, and a hog show with breeders from adjoining counties to be invited to

Since Turbeville assumed county agent duties in Fisher County in September 1946, all boys' 4-H clubs in the county have been reorganized and officers elected to serve during the coming year. The agent meets each club once a month, and dairying, beef cattle, sheep, hogs, and soil conservation have been stressed at the meetings, and will continue to be club projects during 1947.

Since coming to the county, the agent has assisted with the reorganization of the Fisher County Jersey association, of which Coy Stuart, is president, and has taken preliminary steps for the Hereford Breeders Association.

The last county shipment of fish from the state operated hatcheries at San Angelo was dispensed by the agent in October, making a grand total of 3,350 bass, 3,400 bream, 11,875 cat, and 1000 other variety fish distributed free to Fisher county famers and ranchers during 1946.



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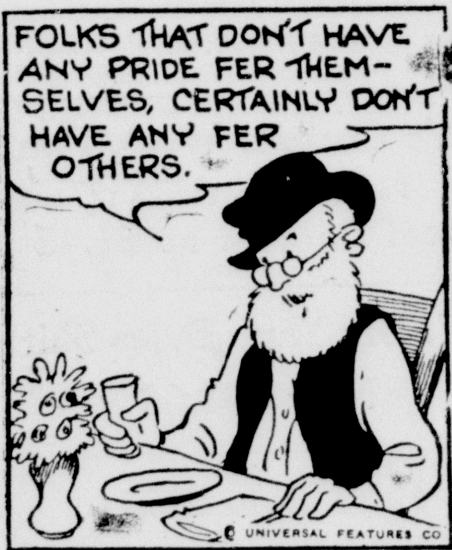
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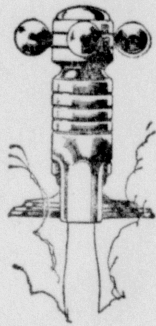
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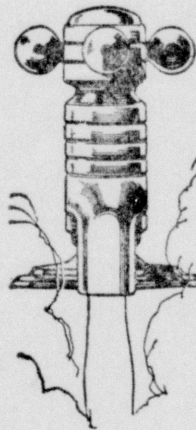
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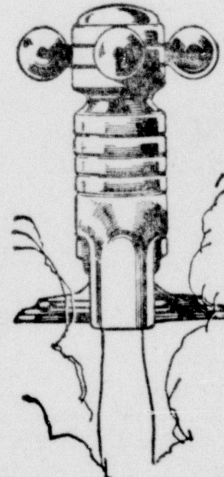
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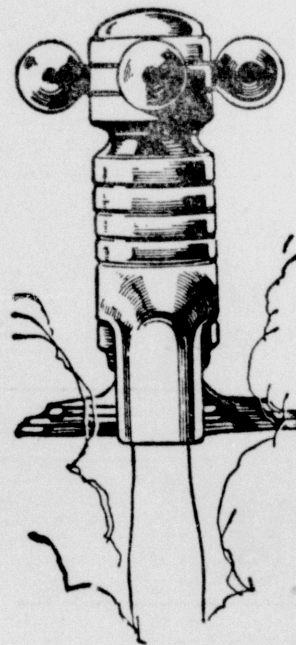
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Modern household needs more hot water than ever before

With acres of dishes and miles of clothes to wash in one year, the modern household needs double the amount of hot water which was required to run a home a few years ago. In fact, 85 percent of the water used inside the home today is hot. So having enough hot water is all important, especially if you use automatic washers and home laundries.

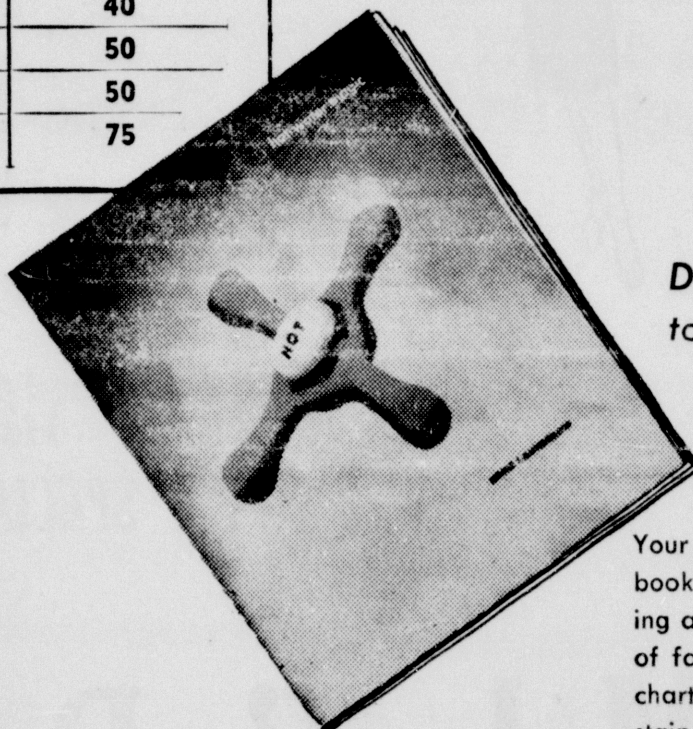
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SIZING CHART

Number Bathrooms	Number Bedrooms	Storage Capacity Gallons
1	1 or 2	30
1	3 or 4	40
2	2 or 3	40
2	4 or 5	50
3	3	50
3 or 4	4 or 5	75

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SOCIETY

Miss Gene Hunter, of Abilene, Becomes Bride of Milton Fletcher

Miss Gene Hunter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hunter of Abilene, became the bride of Milton Fletcher, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fletcher, Jr., of here, in a twilight ceremony read at the North Park Church of Christ, Abilene, Wednesday evening, January 29.

O. B. Proctor, minister, performed the ceremony before an arch of plumosa fern and white carnations. Candelabra holding white tapers and baskets of lilies atop white columns were other decorations for the church. The bride was attractive in a white wool frock fashioned with a roll collar and bracelet sleeves, trimmed by a gold metallic belt. She wore a white felt hat and her shoulder corsage was a brown orchid.

Mrs. Lowell Milstead, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Harold Fletcher, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. Ushers were Bill Hilton and E. R. Davis, Jr.

Mrs. J. C. Hejl sang Beethoven's "L. Love Thee" and "Ah Sweet Mystery of Life". The wedding marches were accompanied by a group of members of the ACC a capella chorus

Billie Monsey And Ralph Dean Married Sunday

Miss Billie Monsey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Monsey of Stamford, and Ralph Dean, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dean of Hamlin, were married Sunday evening at the parsonage of the First Baptist church in Stamford with Rev. Miles B. Hays, pastor, officiating.

The bride is a graduate of Sipe Springs high school and spent a year in nurses training at Fort Stockton.

The bridegroom graduated from Hamlin high school and spent three years in the Army with 15 months overseas in Germany before being discharged last May.

After a short wedding trip to San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Dean will make their home at Alpine, where he is employed by the Southern Pacific railway.

including Alice Balard, Erline Bailey, Jeanette Scruggs, Kay Dollar, Dorothy Deck, Harold Kipford, R. J. Stevens, Mac Martee, Jack McKinney, Henry Ewng, Ray McGlothlin, and Glenn Fulbright.

Immediately following the wedding a reception was held in the Hunter home, which was decorated with white gladiolus.

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Baptist WMS Has Business Meet Monday

Members from all circles of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church met at the church Monday afternoon for the regular monthly business session with the president, Mrs. Joe A. Simpson, in the chair.

Floyd McCoy, educational director, gave a very unique and interesting devotional on the subject, "The Acceptable Will" using Romans 12:2 as the text.

Reports of the standing committees were given with some fine work being reported.

It was announced that the YWA was being reorganized Wednesday. Plans were discussed for the Worker's Conference to be held here this month.

Mrs. Etta Stephenson dismissed the meeting with a prayer.

The meeting places for the circles next Monday were announced as follows:

Lockett Circle, Mrs. W. L. Boyd,

Methodist WSCS Has Business And Social Meet

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist church met for a social and business meet-

Sr.: Nannie David Circle, Mrs. W. A. Albritton; Lucille Reagan, at the church; Blanche Groves, Mrs. LaFoy Patterson; and the Josephine Ward Bible Class meets at the church every other Monday night. Every Baptist woman is urged to attend one of these circles.

ing in the home of Mrs. M. T. Hudson with Mrs. Kent Jones and Mrs. G. A. Daniels as co-hostesses.

Mrs. Harry Gardner, president, was in the chair for the business session.

Mrs. L. H. McBride gave the devotional and program for the service.

Refreshments were served to 25 members.

Some people won't say a thing about others unless it's good. And then when they do tell it, it's really good.

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BOY'S SPORT COATS

Same coats that we told you about last week, sizes 4 to 12, we think the style is good, maybe you feel like \$3.90 was too high so now we offer the ones left at

\$2.90

BOY'S SUITS

Now we wonder just what is wrong with these suits, we think the value and style is right, so now we make further reductions on them, just want to see if the price is the trouble, so now the price is

\$4.90

GIRLS COATS

This item was well picked over and we found a few more to add to them, we know that the price last week was outstanding value but now you can buy them for only

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LADIES DRESSES

House dresses for ladies in sizes 12 to 50, in fast colors and the style and patterns will delight you at

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SHIRTS

Men's 50 per cent wool and 50 per cent cotton shirts, colors gray, nice for these cold winds, you out door men will appreciate them at these values, most sizes 15 through 17—what a value, each

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TROUSERS

Men's moleskin work trousers, the cold wind just does not go through them, waist sizes 31 though 42, perpair

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Khaki trousers for boys in sizes 4 to 16 for work or play, most boys want blue jeans but just compare this price and look at the value, nice for school, price

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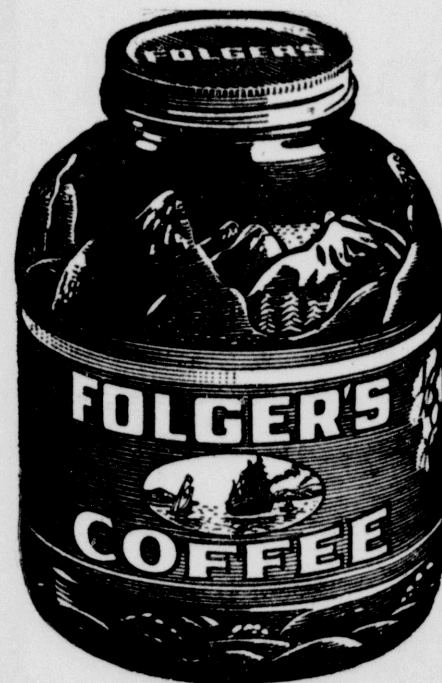


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Marion L. Krebs And Alton Cowley Married Jan. 17th

Miss Marion Louise Krebs of Moline, Illinois, became the bride of Alton D. Cowley, of Hamlin, in a ceremony performed Friday evening, January 17, at the Church of the Good Shepherd in Moline with Rev. Benjamin Minifie officiating.

Kenneth G. White played the wedding music at the organ. Gladioli and stocks were used to decorate the altar.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a fuchsia suit with gray accessories. Her shoulder corage was a gardenia. Mrs. O. P. Goodwin was matron of honor.

O. P. Goodwin attended the bridegroom as best man.

After a short wedding trip to San Antonio and Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Cowley are now at home in Corpus Christi, where he is employed at the Naval Base.

The bride is a graduate of Moline high school and was a member of Tau Delta Nu Sorority.

The bridegroom graduated from Hamlin high school and attended Southwest Aeronautics Institute in Dallas before serving in the Navy for three years.

Firestone Tractor Tire Now On Sale In Hamlin Store

The new Firestone Champion Ground Grip tractor tire, which by record-breaking performances in pulling power, endurance and cleaning test assures farmers of shorter working hours and lower operating costs, has just been put on sale here by Bill Burnett of the Hamlin Home and Auto Supply Store.

Unique in its patented curve, triple braced traction bars and flaring shoulder blocks and spaces, the new tire in tests on all types of soil and surfaces cleans up to 100 per cent more effectively, delivers as much as 62 per cent morepower at the drawbar, and gives up to 91 per cent longer life than tires having straight, open center traction bars. The shearing action of the curved traction bars in thrusting off mud and litter is a constant force as the tire rolls.

Farmers also will find that the new Firestone tire is completely versatile. While the extra-deep, wedge-shaped traction bars provide a firm "center bite" on soft ground, on paved roads the wide, continuous tread design gives smooth, comfortable riding. Since a greater tread area is in contact with the ground, stability is increased and wear is minimized.

Mrs. J. C. Turner, Jr. Honored Wednesday Pink and Blue Shower

Mrs. J. C. Turner, Jr., was honored with a lovely pink and blue shower last Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Teddy Russell.

The honoree was presented many beautiful gifts in a very attractive cradle, made by the hostess, trimmed with pink net decorated with booties and other articles appropriate for a baby.

Delicious angel food cake, peach halves with roasted marshmallow and hot chocolate with whipped cream were served to the guests. Plate favors were miniature blue cradles containing pink mints.

Those attending were Mesdames Charles Prater, Bill Burnett, Lester Morton, Jim Howard King, John F. Green, Jr., E. J. Whaley, Jr., Fred B. Moore, Jr., A. Spencer, W. L. Boyd, Jr., Clifford Reynolds, Jr., Lovel Stell, Henry Albritton, Herman Treadwell, the honoree and hostess.

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Brotherhood Of Fairview Church Enjoys Social

The Brotherhood of the Fairview Baptist church entertained residents of the Wise Chapel community with a social at the schoolhouse Monday evening.

Games were enjoyed under the direction of Joyce Agnew, Wanda Ford and Mrs. Earl Brown.

Refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, cookies and coffee or hot chocolate were served to a very large crowd.

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FOR SALE—One 5-year old horse, good at working cattle; one 8-year old mare, 3 quarter thoroughbred; 10-months old filly colt subject to quarter-horse register. See Lovel Stell.

FOR SALE—Electric iron.. Good condition \$4.00, Mrs O. R. Criswell Celotex. 1p

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FOR SALE—1936 Ford V-8 2-door Sedan. Fred Carpenter, Phone 91 or 230W.

FOR SALE—White porcelain-top kitchen table and blue breakfast suit with table and benches. See Dr. Gould at the office or call 278 or 78. 1p

Wanted

WANT TO BUY—Second hand typewriter. Telephone 26. 1c

WANTED TO RENT—A five-room modern house for an out-of-town party. Phone 151 or see D. Mack Stewart at Stewart Furniture Store. 1c

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LITERATION WORK neatly done by Mr. Tate at Hughes Men's Store. 1tp

WANTED TO BUY—Bachelor cook heater in good condition. See W. L. Walker 1c

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Lost and Found

STRAYED—from the Patterson place, 4 miles south of Hamlin, one black and white Holstein cow, branded with an X on the right hip. If seen, please notify Albert Mabry, Route 3, Hamlin. Telephone 9028-F-2. 1p

TILL THE PARTY who took another man's coat from our shop Jan. 6 by mistake, please, bring the coat back and get his own coat. Mrs. Will Parker. 1p

For Rent

FOR RENT—2-room furnished apartment. Tom Neill, phone 494. 1c

FOR SALE—Residence lot, 75x140. See Mrs. Belle Knox in South Hamlin. 3tp

FOR RENT—Front bedroom with private entrance. Call 132-W. 1p

FOR RENT—Bedroom. See Mrs. G. H. Joiner. 1c

FOR RENT—Bedroom and share the kitchen and bath for couple. —Telephone 343-J. 1c

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ORANGES, Texas, 10 lb . 36c	Marshmallows, pkg 20c
Grapefruit, 10 lb 36c	CRACKERS, 2 lb Krispy . 39c
CABBAGE, lb 5c	PABLUM, 18 oz 39c
CARROTS, bunch 6c	KRAUT, No. 2 1/2 can . . . 15c
BANANNAS, lb 14c	Hersheys Baking Chocolate 19c
TOMATOES, lb 18c	Syrup, Pennant Golden 1/2 g 45c

AUNT ELLEN'S PIE DO

8 oz box 11c

No. 2, each \$1.05

1 lb can 85c

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Mary Lee Taylor's Meat Rolls

Broadcast February 8, 1947

1/2 lb. ground frankfurters* 2 teaspoons baking powder

1/4 cup finely cut pickle, dill or sour 1/2 teaspoon salt

6 tablespoons Fat Milk 2 1/2 teaspoons shortening

1 cup sifted, all-purpose flour 3 tablespoons water

10 1/2-oz. can condensed tomato soup

Turn on oven; set at hot (425° F.). Mix together frankfurters, pickle and 3 tablesp. milk. Sift together flour, baking powder and salt. Work shortening into flour mixture with fork. Stir in mixture of remaining 3 tablesp. milk and water. Turn out on lightly floured board; knead a few seconds. Roll into sheet 8x12 inches. Spread meat mixture on dough; roll up. Cut into inch slices. Arrange on greased baking sheet. Bake 20 min., or until brown. Heat soup slowly; serve over the rolls. Makes 4 servings.

*Bologna, lunch meat, wieners or ham can also be used.

You Will Need: **PET MILK 8c**

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PIGGLY WIGGLY

Midwest Co-op In Meeting at Rotan

Approximaely 1,000 members of the Midwest Electric REA Cooperative, Inc., met in Roby Saturday

afternoon for the annual membership meeting and to hear reports and talks. REA users from nine counties, Jones, Fisher, Stonewall, Scurry, Borden, Mitchell, Nolan, Kent and Garza, were present and heard Manager Lon Adam declare that their

group had met all government obligations and made advance payments of \$45,000.

Adams declared that construction of over 300 miles of lines in Kent and Garza Counties would start soon as material was received. Total membership of the co-op will eventually reach over 4,000 he pointed out, with 500 more miles of line in all to serve 1,500 customers to be built sometime in the future. The co-op was organized in 1939.

The meeting reelected all seven incumbent co-op directors by acclamation. They are John A. Stavely of Fluvanna, Demp Kearney of Sweetwater, M. L. Andress of Snyder, J. Henry of Roby, and John R. Brown, A. A. Aron and J. E. Kennedy of Rotan.

W. O. Rainwater Named To Fill Term of The Late A. C. Sosbee

County Judge Roger Q. Garret, Jr., has announced the appointment of W. O. Rainwater of the Sinclair community to fill the unexpired term of the late A. C. Sosbee, commissioner of precinct 4, who passed away two weeks ago.

Rainwater, a Jones County resident for many years, has been farming at Sinclair for number of years. Sosbee died from the effects of injuries said to have been inflicted in an altercation with a Merkel man early last month. The man has been charged with murder and placed under bond.

Fisher County Reports Over 2,00 Poll Taxes

Poll tax payments in Fisher County were said to be slightly over the 2,000 mark, following the expiration of the deadline last Friday. A number of exemptions (for unders) were also recorded. Howard A. House, Fisher County tax assessor-collector, reported payments good considering it was an off-election year.

A number of organizations over the county pushed poll tax payment for several week preceding the deadline.

Billy Faye Ellis To Receive Degree

Mrs. Billy Faye Rountree Ellis will receive her degree at midterm from McMurray college, Abilene, according to a recent announcement by Dr. H. S. Von Roeder, college registrar.

She will be presented her diploma in May.

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Auto License Plates Now Being Sold

Automobil and motor vehicle licence plates are now on sale in all counties of Texas, although some counties will use windshield stickers until metal plates can be manufactured.

A total of 54189 pairs of passenger car eags were received several days ago in the office of Jones County Tax Assessor-Collector Elzy Bennett and are now being issued. Tags must be on all vehicles not later than April 1, two months hence.

Passenger car plates run from BK-10 to BK-6199; commercial truck plates run from ME-4750 to ME-5949 farm truck plates run from RE-2000 to RE-2999.

Plates for passenger cars are black with white numeral and serial letters. They will be displayed on both front and rear of all cars this year.

It is thought that Texas may adopt the plan of other states in the future and give each automobile a permanent tag. The saving in cost of metal alone would amount to thousands of dollars.

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Representatives From Area On Key Committees

Members of Texas House of Representatives from this area, of the taught in the Sweetwater schools. Austin have been named to key committees by Speaker W. O. Reed of Dallas. Sterling Williams of Snyder, from the district which includes Stonewall County, is vice-chairman of the committee on Commerce and Manufactures.

Committee assignments include the following: Bill Teague, Anson, (Jones and Shackelford), Aeronautics, Agriculture, Military and Veterans Affairs, State Eleemosynary and Reformatory Institutions; Harley Sadler (Fisher, Nolan, Mitchell), Oil Gas and Mining, Public Lands and Buildings, Revenue and Taxation, Banks and Banking, Rules; Charles Conner, (Haskell, Baylor, Throckmorton), Common Carriers, County Examination of Comptroller's and Treasurer's Accounts, Public Lands and Buildings, School District; Sterling Williams, (Sonewall, Scurry, Borden, Dickens, Garza, Kent), Criminal Jurisprudence, Livestock and Stock Raising, State Affairs, State Ellemosynary and Reformatory Institutions, Commerce and Manufactures.

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Spiced Luncheon		Lb.	55¢
Cheese	Full Cream Cheddar	Lb.	55¢

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Oranges	Texas Juicy	Lb. 4¢
Grapefruit	Texas Seedless	Lb. 3¢
Apples	Wash. Delicious or Winesaps	2 Lbs. 25¢
Yellow Onions	Colorado Spanish	Lb. 4¢
Cauliflower	Texas Snow White	Lb. 13¢
Brussel Sprouts	lb.	29¢
Pascal Celery	Calif.	Lb. 10¢

Bunch Vegetables

Turnips	With Tops	2 Bun. 13¢
CARROTS	Texas Crisp Sweet	BUN. 5¢

Typical Safeway Values

Airway Coffee	1-Lb. Pkg.	35¢
Nob Hill Coffee	1-Lb. Pkg.	38¢
Admiration Coffee	1-Lb. Can	47¢
Biscuits	Ballard's Oven-Ready	Reg. Can 11¢
Peaches	Green Bow Yellow Cling	No. 2 1/2 Can 29¢
Blackberries		No. 2 Can 23¢
Sweet Potatoes	No. 2 1/2 Lusian	Can 20¢
Pickles	Old Fashioned Fresh Cucumber Chips	32-Oz. Jar 10¢
Fancy Rice	Cello Pack	1-Lb. Pkg. 16¢
Peaches	Evaporated Cello Pack	1-Lb. Pkg. 33¢
Apricots	Evaporated Cello Pack	1-Lb. Pkg. 49¢
Prunes	Small Size Cello Pack	1-Lb. Pkg. 23¢
Preserves	Colonial Pure Strawberry	16-Oz. Jar 65¢
Tamales	Van Camp's	No. 300 Can 25¢
Soup	Campbell's Tomato Soup	No. 1 Can 10¢
Mackerel	Avalon	No. 1 Can 23¢
Catsup	Red Hill Tomato	13 1/2-Oz. Bot. 21¢
Bread	Mrs. Wright's Extra Tender	24-Oz. Loaf 14¢
Crackers	Nabisco Premium	1-Lb. 25¢
Cheese	Sheppard's Cream Spread	5-Oz. Jar 20¢
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That's why so many businesses—our own included—are like Sally, straining at the seams, waiting for the new materials we need.

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POT-SHOTS FROM McCAULEY

BY GEO DARDEN

Mrs. John Brawner is recovering in a Rotan hospital after suffering a broken bone when she fell at her home in McCauley on Wednesday of last week.

Levi McCollum, Frank and Luther Maberry were in Dallas last week on business.

Mrs. L. B. Miers was surprised with birthday party last Friday night when a group of friends arrived at the Miers home with cakes, pies and fun galore was enjoyed by the following: Mr. and Mrs. Ray Maberry and children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hemphill, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Henderson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miers and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Loui Jones and children, T. R. Miers and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Miers and children.

S. E. Miers spent last week end with his son and family Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Miers in Hobbs community.

Lon Andress made a flying trip to Brownfield last week and visited with parents. That is, the Ford was flying part of the time.

Some weeks ago this column carried a story pertaining to the up-keep of the McCauley cemetery after receiving a letter from our good friends Brownfield, but due to the fact that Mr. and Mrs. Albert Andress on the story was in the News that the Gremkins at the Herald office made away with it failed to appear in print. Fact of the business is: We need to do something about the up-keep of McCauley's much neglected cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Andress writes that they would gladly pay a fee of 2 or 3 dollars a year toward the up-keep of said city of the dead. If all interested parties will do the same we can hire the cemetery worked 2 or 3 times

a year. If you are for a cemetery that we can proud of then write the scribe and pledge your years donation and we will organize a cemetery committee with secretary and treasurer and get done what we have so long neglected. Your donations will be acknowledged through this column.

Max Jones and Hubert Carson McCauley boys are getting quite a reputation with the McMurry College chapters. A boys quartet in which the McCauley boys are a part are in much demand for social functions, clubs and ec., through out the country.

Mr. and Mrs. Loui Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nall visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. O. Jones at Slaton last week end.

Reg. Moffett has sold his grocery store at Sylvester to Bill Carrick and sons from Royston. The Carrickers have taken over and are at your service.

Thanks to W. B. Mayo for a years subscription to the Hamlin Herald. At a 42 party given in the McCauley lunch room last Thursday night for the benefit of the "March of Dimes" campaign went over with a bang with approximately 30 couples contributing about \$30.00 to the fund. Mrs. Wayne Webb was chairman of the March of Dimes campaign for McCauley.

McCauley girls basketball team played in the tournament at Blackwell last week, losing two close games to Ira and Highland by the narrow margin of 15 to 20 and 18 to 19. The McCauley boys and girls teams will play Sylvester this Friday night at Sylvester for county honors. The winners will play Roby for county

championship with the champions going to district meets. Lets all attend the game Friday night and boost the home team.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. H. Williams and children have moved from Hamlin to McCauley. They are at home on the Akins farm that joins the town site. Mr. Williams is an engineer for the Santa Fe. We are glad to have them as citizens of our town.

Mrs. W. M. Keller is in Denver, Colorado at the bedside of a nephew who is very ill in that city.

McCauley is in need of a "trades day." We once had a big time on trades day in McCauley. The war is over and there is no excuse now for not getting things rolling again and besides a little community spirit won't hurt thing. If interested in such a program let us know.

Comment No. 1.

A bill was introduced in the Texas legislature last week to legalize horse racing in Texas. Such a bill would raise more revenue for teachers salary, old age pensions and etc. Frankly, this column is for such a bill. Texas is far behind other states and all because a few old "moss backs" detest racing and their argument is that racing will create more gamblers in our state. But such is not the case. 50 per cent of the Amer-Par-mutual wagering on the ponies the State of Texas got no revenue. year-according to Gallup poll—and i can people bet on something last is only half as bad as private wagering on our sons and neighbors sons on the football field. A-Darden-o gram.

More Cottonseed Crushed, Less Being Received at Mills

Cottonseed crushed in Texas during November rose to 122,861 tons, an increase of 19 percent, while cottonseed, leaving stocks at the end of the month 3 per cent less than October, according to Bureau of the Census figures analyzed by the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research. Activity in cottonseed production declined from November 1940. Cottonseed received at the mills showed a 35 per cent loss; cottonseed crushed fell off 4 per cent; and stocks at the end of the month reflected 13 per cent decrease.



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Corn, (Cream Style) No. 2 can	16c
Pinto Beans No. 2 can	19c
Cranberry Sauce, Large can	29c
West Tex Syrup, Maple Flavor, 5 lb jar	69c
Ranchland Salmon, 1 lb can	31c
Red Seal Vienna Sausage, can	19c
Sliced Bacon, lb	59c
T-Bone, Round and Loin Steak, lb	55c
Chuck Roasts, lb	39c
Pure Lard, 4 lb carton	\$1.49

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Apples, 2 lbs.	25c	Grapefruit	
Oranges, 10 lb sk.	39c	Large sack	39c

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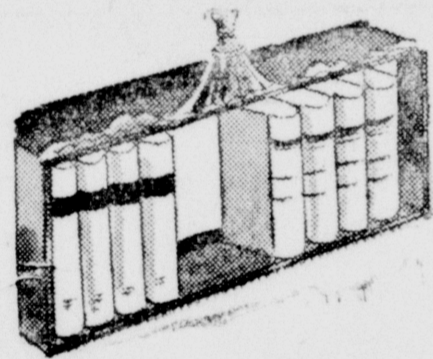
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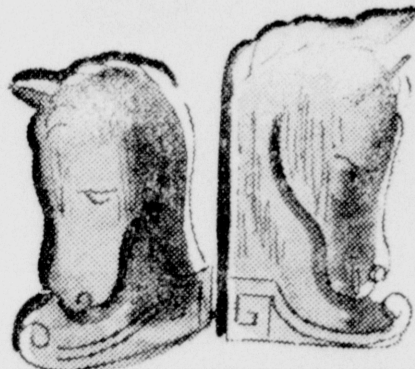
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